U.S. GUNS SHELL GERMANS AN ENTIRE DAY



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New Operation on Roosevelt in Hospital To-Day

BAKER SAYS ARMY ABROAD EXCEEDS HOPE

BAKER DISCLOSES INCREASE IN TRANSPORTS FOR TROOPS: TO CHANGE MEDICAL SERVICE

Secretary, Under Cross-Examination, Urges Empowering Wilson to Coordinate War Department Needs -Confidential Data in Secret.

ASHES YIELD BODY

in Home - Authorities

Hint at War Plot.

several months ago had been busy in

at the front. He held very pronounced

anti-German views. His son, William

Jay Barker jr., is with an aviation,

The Barker home was near that of

was destroyed by fire a year ago. The

man in this city. .

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ANTI-TRUST LAW REPEAL

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Unworkable:

ALBORY N. V. Pete # - Bills to be-

and the Dennett Act, the State Anti-

Trust Law, were introduced in the

tent above to dry to plenator Changer

and Assemblymen Disabogen Sock+

toy Officery sout that they were made

Haker came up for cross-examinal

cause Secretary Baker did not have

After the examination closed to sak fire extinguisher. The body was for an abscess which has been the prepared to give detailed information, ground floor of what had been a two also for two subsidiary abscesses. and a half story structure. on tonnage, men and supplies.

transported to France, including non-combatant and fighting forces, than had been planned. About 120,000 tons of shipping

have been secured in the last len days for the transportation and supply of troops.

American tonnage losses have been exceedingly light. The -vice the navy has rendered in this protection of the army has been unexampled. New legislation, the Scoretain

believes, is desirable to give the President general powers to transfer and co-ordinate tune tions of various departments -conditions arise. There is a persibility that the actual purchase ing power for the War Depumment may be largely placed in the hands of Edward R. Stell

tinius, Surveyor General, Complete reorganization of the Army and Navy Medical Depart ments and the Public Health Service to bring the three wanch es under the general direction ." Surgeon General Gorgan is con

templated. National Guard salled but had been 40 per cent, equipped cent, at Camp Howse to 100 to cent, at Camp Hamssels. The Yeltional Army Artillery much are

being equipped with suffice gons for training our poort-There is not now a single cient elething to need from No. A.

Secretary Baker - very sand

ion was beaut for memotion Minde of On Jan 1, the other hole and

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ROOSEVELT TAKEN TO HOSPITAL FOR A NEW OPERATION

Colonel, Annoyed by Abscesses Since Exploring Trip, Gives Self Over to Surgeons.

OF RICH MERCHANT:

William Jay Barker Loses Life Roosevelt made

At vol. Roosevelus office it was stated that he will be operated on

The poisoning of his system was Among the things Secretary Baker and three servants revealed during his examination were narrowly escaped with their lives, these:

Mrs. Burker and three servants cars contracted in his Amazon River exploration four years ago. Upon his being rescued from a window on the being rescued from a window on the return he suffered from the after efupper floor by members of the South fects of the very severe equatorial

Beach Fire Company. The absence fever, of hydrants in the grounds made it work just as actively during the past impossible for the firemen to fight four years, but now and then has he flames and nothing was saved had a relapse. The surgeons decided rum destruction. The last is esti- to treat the whole matter fundamentaily and they believe that thereby The cause of the "re has not been they will get out of the whole trouearned. Mr. Barker was a member bie.

and since his return from the front cencelled all speaking dates,

delivering arti-German fectures and BRITISH SHIP SUNK; 32 LIVES ARE LOST

corps in Virginia. A daughter was atopping with the mother of the dead Announcement Made in Commons but Name of the Steamer Is Not Given.

frying Batcheller, the writer, which LONDON, Peb. 6 .- Loss of a passonimpression is strong in Greenwich per steamer to the channel was re- slight slope, where not some self ger that the fire of this morning was of vealed to-day by Admiralty Secretary it every morning. MacNamara, replying to inquiry in the Boston's soil and that

Commons MacNamara reported the loss of Catholic Church as the building w fourteen men of a crew of twenty-five Jammed at the greatest tribule 1-IS ASKED OF LEGISLATURE and eighteen out of twenty army and smorting some Net in the may men aboar. Name of the boat nor any other did a men renty was not sevented. Norther was the as a boxe erer to be in Bills of Bodi Houses Aimed at Don- cause of the sinking.

> ACTIVE MEN WANTED to sell newspapers at Elevated and Subway Stations. Good salary. Men with excellent references only need apply. Basement, 184 William Street, between I and 3 P. M.

Pershing Met by King Albert On a Visit to the Belgian Front



Baker to appear to morrow morning found near the half door on the immediate cause of his trouble and Albert on a recent visit to the issi- them about to shake hands when gian front. This is the first photo- they met.

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and Other Ports.

odigation committee to dive-t freight our congested gateways to less our-

olph, New York, and T. C. Pewell, Cin-

McAdoo's action will result in the am

and New England or for experi-

Advance

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 -- 10 . Dog ave

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THE WORLD TRAVEL BUREAU.

DIVERT TRAFFIC SOUTH TO RELIEVE EASTERN JAM TO HIS GRAVE BY McAdoo Names Committee to Remedy Congestion at New York MANY MOURNERS WASHINGTON, Feb. L .- A stattle b

of the diverside Special Police Corps 14 the meantime the Colonel has Sports of High and Low Degree at Old Fighter's Funeral.

> BOSTON, Feb. 6 .- Join L. Suffran, fighter all like life, wan given the for deral of a fighter here to-day. He sleeps now in Calvary Come

I rubbed shoulders to see its re-

ground with each a milescent sec-L. Sullivan. The body of the out to taken from the home of a Mrs. Annie E. Lennov, at ... Streets near the house - - they came on bot P. ... from the house the stimus was

with automining and over een waterfullmakes to in h acted reported in the first transfer better to the coffin on foot ones, "an a-

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Receipts of anthracite and bitu-

ninous coul at Jorsey tidewater York City was 14,000 tons and fo-

FOR HOMES ONLY;

HARBOR ICE-BOUND

Bituminous Being Used to Keep

Occupants of Apartment

Houses From Freezing.

Here are to-day's salient facts in

appeals from apartment houses-

tration and to being distributed to

The see black in the two rivers and upper harbor is worse to-day than it has been in the memory of the oldest tug skipper. Solid ice floor extend from the Jersey share to Brooklyn's waterfront.

Coal barges with their tuns are caught in these floes and carried helplessly with the tide. Ferries. either suspended entirely or ranon irregular schedules.

Danger of a great fire along the waterfront has increased with the choking of allps by me. Fire Clinit Kenlon ordered the fireboat Walls lam J. Gaynor to take its atation Director General McAdon. It includes it is Winchell of Chicago, J. M. Rutbeside the firebeat New Yorker, off the Battery, to offers this men-

5,000 TONS OF BITUMINOUS FOR nediate diversion of great amounts of DOMESTIC USE. freight to Southern ports, that the jama The unprecedented aution in deat New York, Newport News and other

ivering soft coal to most in small Hastern water terminals may be seemeasure the needs of the domestic Mr. McAdoo explained to the comconsumer was attended to-day by the customary confusion between the mittee that in view of government operation the rationade should be surveyed as a national system and trafconflicting reports resulted. fig routed over the most economical lines regardless of ownership. Deputy Tidewater Commissioner Searles made this matement.

Appointment of the committee is in men with the Batiroau Administralocal Fuel Administration 5,000 tons Non's policy of diversion, an example which was the despately to between and every pound of brundings coul secently to South Atlantic and Gulf not needed to bunker sulps or supply orts for trans-snipment to New York the mods of the public withilm corporations will be turned over to that body. But shipping will no on at all chartered periodically along the whole FLYERS ACTIVE IN PALESTINE costs; no coal with be directed to the Fuel Administration which is neared American sector. The enemy threw Materially Aid Gen. Allendy in the for the essential ships in harbor."

Chairman Peters appeared to be lainted. tration had been end wed with the of the city's apartness. "We have received aperial

orders from the National Fuel Administrator permitting us to sold control control take bituminous seal from the tidewater pool," he declared

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CITY GETTING COAL AIRSHIPS IN HARD BATTLES OVER AMERICAN TRENCHES; GERMAN PLANES HELD BACK

Berlin Reports Resumption of Fighting on Both Sides of St. Mihiel, in Which Neighborhood the Americans Are Holding French Lines:

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Tuesday, Feb. 5 (by the Associated Press).-American artillery kept up a continuous fire on the enemy batteries throughout Tuesday and the Germans responded, with the result that there was lively shelling along the entire

At the same time the American anti-aircraft guns were busy repelling attempts of enemy airmen to cross over the American lines. wo German airplanes finally abandoned the attempt after having been helled heavily.

AMERICAN TROOPS DASH TO SAFETY THROUGH A RAIN OF SHELLS

laught in Trap, but Make Their Way Back to Their Own Trenches.

trapped by an American barrage which is shelled very frequently be near the Boche trenches last night, the enemy and is considered vers dashed through the rain of shells dangerous. He turned the children back to the safety of the American over to an ambulance driver, who re-

It is sometimes necessary to risk by village. States troops, forming a patrol, was avestigating the damage done to he German trench wires by Sunday ight's bombardment. An American soket signal from an adjacent sector muddenly called for a barrage. The rain of weath started immedi-

The little patrol was up against it the men facing death from their own shells. They resolved to make a dush for safety.

Spreading out in open formation they gradually made their way back to their own trenches through their own barrage, taking refuge from the explosions in shell-holes and depresions in No Man's Land.

Dodging, ducking and making coal conserving organizations, and terrain, the Americans finally thorr rustes scross the shell-swept reached their own lines and leaped U. S. NAVY NOW USING over their parapets.

The expected derivation of which the barrage was The expected German attack, in ansignated for, falled to develop. This was probably due to the promptness and precision of the American bar-

over his regular gusta of pineapple

very positive that the boot Aurenties American actifiery units to-day power to seize bunker one for the uned up to secence their money. Few With shouls of welcome, the soldlers draw more than in owing to the allocations of time Salaries which they have not as to for Liberty Bond!

For a few days of rest d will be contained in a line's was should be conserved for the few Annual structure and the first section small to divert could be the contained and the few and t a an optical out on the ground and a

is being delivered to the

chelling at several points, as well as siderable aerial activity.

Several air fights occurred above e trenches, and the anti-alreraft

During the past twenty-four hours the enemy often has shelled villages behind the front which had not been

-Facing death from their own ar- day found three little French children. -Pacing death from their own ar-tillery, a handful of Americans, a road immediately behind the front turned them to their homes in a near-

sacrificing a few to save many. On Monday night a small body of United When Tells of Pighting on Line Where Pershing Holds a Sector. BERLIN, Feb. 6.-In its report of the activities on the western from

the German War Office says: "Army of Duke Albrecht-On the beights of the Meuse north and south of St. Miniel the fighting activity was revived this afternoon."

(Despatches from correspondents with Ger, Pershing's forces say that the Americans are holding a sector northwest of Toul, which would put them southeast of St. Mihlel. The Herlin report may refer to their section of the battle line,)

Seven enemy neroplanes were rought down and one taken captive n the weatern front yesterday, the War Office announced.

NEW DEVICES IN ITS WAR AGAINST U BOATS

London Announces Success in Unique Plan to Drive Them

From Sea. London Feb 2 A suffice A has inaugurated a purpose auti-submarine compared which is successful. was authoritatively stated to-

"New devices" are being used in this American drive to aweep and terpodoes are also being

are remains a military secret.